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For: TIME-SENSITIVE-PACKET JITTER AND LATENCY
MINIMIZATION ON A SHARED DATA LINK

This application is a continuation of prior application Serial No. 09/614,536 filed July 11, 2000.

Prior application info: Examiner Thai D. Hoang, Group Art Unit 2667.

APPLICANTS REQUEST NON-PUBLICATION.

Enclosures:

- ☒ Specification (pages 1-23); claims (pages 24-35); abstract (page 36)
- ☒ Fourteen sheet(s) of FORMAL drawings (comprised of 16 figures)
- ☒ Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (copy from prior application)
- ☒ Incorporation by Reference--The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
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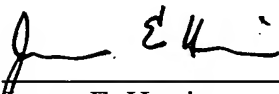
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- ☒ Cancel in this continuation application original claims 14, 16-19, and 32-51 of the prior application Serial No. 09/614,536, and enter the enclosed preliminary amendment before calculating the filing fee.
- ☒ PTO Form 2038 authorizing credit card payment of \$878.00 for the filing fee.
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